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**BY ECF**

The Honorable Lewis J. Liman  
United States District Court  
Southern District of New York  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, New York 10007

Re: ***United States v. Lawrence Ray,***  
S2 20 Cr. 110 (LJL)

Dear Judge Liman:

The Government writes to object to further extrinsic evidence of Claudia Drury's character for truthfulness. Under Federal Rule of Evidence 608(b), "extrinsic evidence is not admissible to prove specific instances of a witness's conduct in order to attack or support the witness's character for truthfulness." Instead, under Rule 608(b), prior instances of a witness's conduct may be inquired into without extrinsic proof. The defense introduced Defense Exhibit L1A to attack Ms. Drury's character for truthfulness. The Government objects to further extrinsic evidence offered for such a purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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